Rehabilitation of families affected by Tehri dam

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Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) the number of persons displaced due to Tehri Dam who have been allotted lands in New Tehri town area;

(b) the number of displaced persons who have been rehabilitated so far in Boradi and Kulana area;

(c) whether schools, hospitals, provision of water, roads and bridges have been constructed in the villages where displaced persons have been rehabilitated;

(d) if not, by when these would be constructed and all basic facilities would be made available; and

(e) the amount of money provided to the State Government by the Central Government till March, 2006 to rehabilitate the displaced persons of Tehri dam properly?

THE MINISTER OF POWER (SHRI SUSHIL KUMAR SHINDE): (a) and (b) The Old Tehri Town affected due to construction of Tehri Dam comprised of urban population of 5291 families, categorized as fully affected. The Old Tehri Town has been completely rehabilitated and the affected families have been allotted plots, flats and shops, as per their entitlements, at New Tehri Town (NTT), and at Rishikesh and Dehradun as per the option of the oustees. The New Tehri Town has been established in the villages Kulna, Modhar and Baurari.

(c) and (d) Rural Rehabilitation Centres have been provided all the civic facilities at rehabilitation sites including Roads, Electricity, Drinking water supply, irrigation & other essential community facilities i.e. Schools, Barat Ghar, shopping complex, Dispensaries, Places of worship etc.

(e) A cumulative amount of Rs. 1155.17 crores has already been incurred on rehabilitation and resettlement works upto March, 2006.

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